WHITE RIVER TROUT CLUB

Premier Fishing Lodge in Flippin, Arkansas

A riverfront getaway where refined lodging meets next-level guiding on a world-class trophy trout fishery.

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01 — About White River Trout Club

Nestled along the banks of one of America's most celebrated trout rivers, White River Trout Club (WRTC) is the kind of place that stays with you long after the trip ends. Located in Flippin, Arkansas — right in the heart of the Ozarks — WRTC was built around a simple idea: great fishing deserves great company and an even better place to rest your boots.

What started as a passion project for serious anglers has grown into a full-service riverfront destination attracting fishermen, families, and outdoor enthusiasts from across the country. Whether you arrive rod in hand or just looking for a peaceful getaway by the water, WRTC has something crafted for you.

What Sets WRTC Apart

- A true riverfront setting — launch directly onto the White River from the private dock
- Service-first philosophy across every part of the experience
- 13 riverfront cabins with 23 units and 37 private bedrooms
- Professionally guided fishing for both fly and conventional anglers
- On-site fly shop, pavilion, pool, and bar — everything under one roof
- Pet-friendly and welcoming to groups, families, and solo travelers alike

Our Philosophy

At WRTC, we believe a fishing trip should be effortless from the moment you arrive. That means top-tier guides who know the water inside out, lodging that feels like a home away from home, and a community of fellow anglers who share your love of the sport. We take care of the logistics — you focus on the fishing.

Quick Facts

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Email	info@whiterivertroutclub.com
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Cabins	13 riverfront cabins | 23 units | 37 private bedrooms
Fishing	Year-round trophy trout fishing — fly and conventional
Species	Rainbow Trout, Brown Trout
Pet Policy	Pet-friendly

Explore White River Trout Club Online

02 — The White River – A World-Class Fishery

The White River in northern Arkansas is not just a fishing destination — it is a living legend among American trout anglers. Fed by the cold, clear tailwaters released from Norfork and Bull Shoals dams, the White River maintains the near-constant temperatures that trophy trout need to thrive year-round. This unique hydrology creates a fishery unlike almost anything else in the United States.

The river is famous for producing some of the largest brown and rainbow trout in the country. World-record and trophy-class fish are caught here regularly, drawing dedicated anglers from every corner of North America and beyond. Yet despite its reputation, the White River is also accessible to beginners — it rewards patience, good technique, and, above all, excellent guiding.

Why Anglers Keep Coming Back

- Year-round fishery with consistent water temperatures ideal for trophy trout
- Exceptional seasonal hatches: Caddis in spring, Sulphurs in early summer, and Terrestrials through fall
- Both drift-boat and wade fishing options depending on conditions
- World-class dry fly, nymph, streamer, and conventional fishing
- Reliable winter bite — the famous 'shad kill' creates feeding frenzies for big browns
- Managed with a catch-and-release ethos to preserve trophy populations

Seasonal Fishing Calendar

Season	Conditions	Recommended Technique
Winter	Cold, high water; big browns active	Streamers, deep nymphing
Spring	Caddis hatch begins; fish on the prowl	Dry fly, Euro nymphing
Early Summer	Sulphur evening hatches — spectacular	Dry fly, emerger patterns
Late Summer	Terrestrial season; hoppers & beetles	Hopper-dropper, dry fly
Fall	Consistent flows; all-around fishing	Multi-technique, streamer

Plan Your White River Trip at whiterivertroutclub.com

03 — Guided Fishing Experiences

The guided fishing program at White River Trout Club is at the heart of everything we do. Our guides aren't just river veterans — they are passionate teachers, skilled boat handlers, and genuine outdoor hosts who take pride in putting guests on fish, no matter their experience level.

Whether you're an experienced fly angler chasing a personal best brown trout, or a first-timer picking up a rod for the very first time, our team meets you exactly where you are. We offer both fly fishing and conventional spin fishing, giving guests the flexibility to fish the way that feels natural to them.

Trip Options

• Half-day guided trips (approx. 4 hours) — ideal for beginners or tight schedules

• Full-day guided trips (approx. 6–8 hours) — the best way to experience the river fully

• Multi-day packages — pair your guided days with on-site lodging for a seamless stay

• Private group trips — exclusively for your party, tailored to your goals

• Youth trips — guides experienced in teaching young anglers, patient and encouraging

Fishing Methods We Offer

• Fly fishing — dry fly, nymph, streamer, and euro nymphing

• Conventional / spin fishing — for those more comfortable with traditional gear

• Boat fishing — drift boat trips covering multiple productive stretches of river

• Wade fishing — classic river wading where conditions allow

What's Included

All guided trips depart directly from WRTC's private dock — no driving to a put-in, no logistics headaches. Your guide handles gear setup, fish identification, technique coaching, and boat positioning to maximize your time on productive water. Guided trips can be reserved directly through the lodge.

To book a guided fishing trip or check availability, visit:

whiterivertroutclub.com/guided-fishing

04 — Riverfront Lodging & Cabins

After a long day on the water, there is nothing better than stepping into a clean, comfortable cabin with a cold drink and a view of the river. White River Trout Club's lodging was designed with the angler in mind — and with families and groups equally welcome.

The property features 13 riverfront cabins with 23 total units and 37 private bedrooms, offering a variety of configurations to suit couples, small families, large groups, and corporate retreats. Every cabin is fully updated, thoughtfully appointed, and positioned to take in the natural beauty of the surrounding Ozark landscape.

Cabin Highlights

• Comfortable queen-size beds in every bedroom for a restful night's sleep

• Flat-screen TVs with DirecTV satellite programming

• Complimentary high-speed WiFi throughout the property

• Riverfront positioning — wake up to the sound of the White River

• Variety of layouts: studio cabins, multi-bedroom units, and larger group configurations

• Pet-friendly accommodations available — bring the whole family

Lodging Options at a Glance

Unit Type	Best For	Key Features
Studio Cabin	Solo anglers, couples	Queen bed, kitchenette, river view
Multi-Bedroom Unit	Families, small groups	Multiple bedrooms, shared living area
Group Configuration	Corporate retreats, large parties	Multiple units, pavilion access

Reservations can be made online at any time. WRTC's booking system is easy to navigate and includes real-time availability so you can plan your trip with confidence.

View Lodging Options & Check Availability — whiterivertroutclub.com/lodging

05 — Lodge Amenities – Bar, Pool & Pavilion

White River Trout Club is built for more than just fishing. The amenities on-property are designed to make every hour of your stay — on or off the water — feel genuinely enjoyable. From riverside dining to evening billiards, WRTC gives you every reason to stay a few extra nights.

Bar & Dining Hall

Our riverside Bar and Dining Hall is the social hub of the lodge. Floor-to-ceiling windows frame sweeping views of the White River, making it the perfect spot to unwind with a cold drink after a day on the water. The full-service bar stocks a solid selection of craft beers, wines, and spirits. The bar is open seasonally Thursday through Saturday from 4pm to 9pm. Dining for larger groups is available by reservation — inquire when booking your stay.

The Pavilion

Follow the covered walkway to the 2,500 sq. ft. riverside pavilion — the true heart of White River Trout Club. This stunning gathering space features floor-to-ceiling windows overlooking the river, a dramatic floor-to-ceiling fireplace, multiple flat-screen TVs, billiards, shuffleboard, darts, and generous lounge seating. Step outside onto the expansive deck for views downstream toward the bluffs.

Swimming Pool

The outdoor swimming pool is a favorite among non-anglers — and a great place to cool off for everyone after a warm day on the river. Ideal for families with children, the pool area is well-maintained and offers a relaxed, social atmosphere surrounded by the natural beauty of the Ozarks.

Games & Entertainment

- Billiards table in the pavilion
- Shuffleboard and darts
- Cornhole and card games
- Multiple large-screen TVs for sports viewing

See All Amenities — whiterivertroutclub.com/amenities

06 — On-the-Water Amenities

One of the most compelling advantages of staying at White River Trout Club is having the river just steps from your cabin door. The on-water infrastructure at WRTC makes getting out on the White River as simple and enjoyable as possible — whether you're heading out with a guide, renting a boat for the day, or just paddling a kayak downstream on your own.

Private Boat Dock & Ramp

WRTC's private boat ramp and fully covered dock provide seamless river access for all guests. Whether you're meeting your guide at the dock for a morning float, loading up your own vessel, or simply walking down to watch the river at dawn, the dock is clean, safe, and always accessible. This is the kind of access most fishing lodges simply cannot offer.

Boat Rentals

For guests who prefer to explore the river independently, WRTC offers traditional White River Jon Boats equipped with 9.9hp motors — the classic craft perfectly suited to the White River's varied conditions. Each rental comes fully equipped, including a full tank of gas. Just bring your gear and your sense of adventure. Please reserve your boat rental in advance to ensure availability during your stay.

Kayak Rentals

Prefer a quieter, more intimate way to experience the river? WRTC's kayak rentals offer a peaceful alternative to motorized watercraft. Whether you're paddling for a morning's fishing or simply drifting downstream to take in the scenery, a kayak rental is a wonderful way to see the White River at your own pace. Rentals include all necessary safety equipment.

Option	Details	Notes
Jon Boat Rental	9.9hp motor, traditional White River style	Full tank of gas included
Kayak Rental	Single-person kayak, safety gear included	Great for solo exploration
Guided Float	Drift boat with certified guide	Book with lodging for best rates
Private Dock	Available to all lodging guests	Covered, accessible day & night

Explore All Water Amenities — whiterivertroutclub.com/amenities

07 — Recreation & Activities

White River Trout Club recognizes that not every guest in your party is an angler — and even dedicated fishermen deserve a rest day. The WRTC experience extends well beyond the river's edge, with a wide range of recreational activities available on-property and nearby in beautiful northern Arkansas.

Hiking & Outdoor Exploration

Just minutes from the lodge, Bull Shoals White River State Park offers scenic hiking trails, panoramic Ozark overlooks, and the chance to truly immerse yourself in the natural landscape that makes this region so special. The park is ideal for families, non-fishing guests, and anyone who wants to stretch their legs between mornings on the water.

Golf

Big Creek Golf Course in Mountain Home, Arkansas is approximately 30 minutes from the lodge and offers a well-maintained course in a beautiful Ozark setting — a perfect option for guests who want to mix a round of golf into a fishing trip.

Upland Bird Hunting

For hunting enthusiasts, classic upland bird country is just one hour from the lodge. Walk-up hunts over dogs with trusted local guides are available for parties interested in chasing pheasant, grouse, and quail across rolling fields and timbered draws. A genuine all-seasons outdoor experience awaits.

More Local Activities

- Bowling — a 10-minute drive from the lodge for a fun evening option
- Antique shopping — explore local shops packed with character in nearby Flippin and Bull Shoals
- Biking — roads and trails through the Ozarks for cyclists of all abilities
- Wildlife viewing — deer, muskrat, bald eagles, and more along the river banks
- Shooting — private shooting facilities accessible for larger groups by arrangement

Learn More About Activities — whiterivertroutclub.com/amenities

08 — WRTC Fly Shop

The WRTC Fly Shop is an on-site fly fishing outfitter stocked specifically for the White River. Managed by people who fish this water every single day, the shop carries the patterns, sizes, and tackle that actually produce results here — not generic stock sourced from a warehouse catalog.

Whether you need a few more flies for the evening hatch, want to replace a tippet before the morning float, or simply enjoy browsing well-curated tackle, the WRTC Fly Shop has what you need, conveniently located right on the property.

What You'll Find in the Shop

• White River-specific fly patterns: Caddis, Sulphurs, Hoppers, Midges, Streamers

• Tippet, leaders, and terminal tackle

• Fly boxes, forceps, and essential accessories

• Licensed WRTC merchandise and souvenirs

• Friendly staff advice on current conditions, productive flies, and river levels

Local Knowledge, Loaded Shelves

The best thing about the WRTC Fly Shop isn't the inventory — it's the knowledge behind the counter. Our guides and staff fish the White River constantly, and they are always happy to share what's been working, what hatches to expect, and how to adjust your approach based on current conditions. Stop in before your morning trip and leave the water better prepared.

A Note for Beginners

If you are new to fly fishing, the fly shop is the perfect first stop on your visit. Our staff will point you toward the right gear without overselling, help you understand what to expect on the water, and connect you with a guide who can get you casting confidently within minutes of launching from the dock.

Visit the WRTC Fly Shop — whiterivertroutclub.com/wrtc-fly-shop

09 — Meet Our Team

The heart of White River Trout Club is its people. From the guides who know every bend and seam of the White River to the lodge staff who ensure your stay is comfortable and stress-free, every member of the WRTC team takes genuine pride in what they do.

Dave and Steve-O lead a lodge operation built on passion for the water and a deep commitment to guest experience. Their vision — refined lodging paired with world-class guiding — is felt in every detail, from the cleanliness of the cabins to the expertise of the guide staff.

Our Guides

WRTC guides are certified professionals who have logged thousands of hours on the White River. They are equally at home instructing a first-timer how to cast as they are dialing in a technical euro-nymph drift for an experienced competition angler. Each guide is selected for their skill on the water, their communication ability, and their genuine passion for the sport.

- Luke — highly rated guide known for versatility and patience with beginners
- Rudy — experienced float guide with deep knowledge of seasonal fish behavior
- Richard ('The Reel Fly Guy') — a fan favorite known for his enthusiasm and dry fly expertise
- Additional certified guides available for large groups and back-to-back guide days

What Makes Our Team Different

Unlike many operations where guiding is just a job, the WRTC team treats every trip as a personal investment. They study changing conditions, adapt to each angler's ability, and stay on the water until the day is done — always prioritizing your experience over an early takeout.

Lodge Staff

Beyond the guide staff, WRTC's lodge team keeps the whole operation running smoothly. From front desk reservations and boat logistics to bar service and cabin maintenance, the staff at White River Trout Club maintains the service-first standard that guests have come to expect and return for.

Meet the Full Team — whiterivertroutclub.com/our-team

10 — Group Events & Private Gatherings

White River Trout Club is an ideal setting for groups of any kind. Whether you are organizing a corporate fishing retreat, a multi-family vacation, a bachelor weekend, a birthday celebration, or a private outdoor event, WRTC provides the space, staff, and natural setting to make it memorable.

Why Groups Choose WRTC

• 13 cabins with 37 private bedrooms provide flexibility for groups of all sizes

• Private boat dock allows guide launches without leaving the property

• The 2,500 sq. ft. riverside pavilion accommodates large gatherings in style

• Bar and dining facilities available by reservation for group catering

• Multi-boat guided fishing — the whole group can fish together or in rotations

• Access to golf, bird hunting, shooting facilities, and other off-water activities

Popular Group Formats

Event Type	What We Provide
Corporate Retreat	Multi-day lodging, guided fishing days, pavilion for meetings or dinners
Family Reunion	Flexible cabin configurations, pool, games, guided or self-guided fishing
Bachelor/Bachelorette	Fully private group experience, bar access, custom guided fishing days
Birthday Getaway	Personalized welcome, guided trip, celebration dinner arrangements
Church or Club Trip	Group bookings with shared pavilion access and coordinated activities

For group reservations and custom event planning, the WRTC team works directly with organizers to build a package that fits your timeline, group size, and budget. Reach out early — popular weekends and peak fishing seasons book well in advance.

Enquire About Group Bookings — whiterivertroutclub.com/contact-us

11 — What Our Guests Say

The best measure of any lodge is what guests say when they come back — and at White River Trout Club, they come back often. Here is what recent visitors have shared about their stay:

"I had a great time here. I stayed for 2 nights in a studio cabin and went on a 6-hour guided fly fishing trip. Everything is updated, clean and well maintained. The clubhouse pavilion area is a great place to relax. My guide picked me up right from the dock and we went right to fishing! After seeing the other fishing lodge properties from the river, I would definitely stay here again over any of the others."

— Colt Davis

"Dave and Steve-O run an incredible club, and we will be going back forever. From incredible views of birds, watching deer on the riverbank, muskrat swimming down the White, and hooking into some of the U.S.'s premier brown trout — it's the best time. Hungry fish and even better times at the White River Trout Club!"

— Tyler Dietrich

"I recently stayed at the White River Trout Club, and I can't recommend it enough! The rooms are incredibly comfortable. The patio area is a fantastic spot to unwind and soak in the stunning river views. The guides are truly top-notch — their expertise and passion for fishing made my experience unforgettable."

— Alex Stubenfoll

"It was my first time fly fishing, so I was already having a great time learning and catching a bunch of rainbows — and then they put me on a big brown! Shoutout to The Reel Fly Guy Richard. Cool dudes, great with beginners and vets alike, can't wait to go again!"

— Tim Reilly

"This was a beautiful, relaxing spot — and I'm writing this as a non-fisher! An incredible spot regardless of not fishing. Wonderful staff, clean and well-appointed cabin. Can't wait to go back! A great place for anyone that wants to get away and embrace tranquil river life."

— Lisa Clare

Read More Reviews & Explore the Club — whiterivertroutclub.com

12 — Visit, Book & Contact Us

White River Trout Club is open year-round, welcoming anglers and outdoor enthusiasts through every season the Ozarks has to offer. Whether you are ready to book today or just starting to plan, the team at WRTC is happy to help you build the perfect trip.

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How to Book

Reservations can be made online through our real-time booking system, by phone at (870) 453-2424, or by emailing info@whiterivertroutclub.com. For group bookings, custom guided packages, or event inquiries, contact the lodge directly — we are always happy to help you plan.

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